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Local Administration and Social Welfare (D) Department

NOTIFICATION

No. 31669|D2|82|LA & SWD. *Dated, Trivandrum, 26th July,* 1982.

The following draft of the Rules further to amend the Kerala Municipal Commissioners (Recruitment and Conditions of Service) Rules, 1964 issued under G. O. (Ms.) 546|64|H & LD dated the 1st August, 1964 and published as S.R.O. No. 240|64 in Part I of the Kerala Gazette No. 31 dated the 4th August, 1964, which the Government of Kerala propose to make in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 19 and clause (a) of sub-section (2) of section 344 of the Kerala Municipalities Act, 1960 (14 of 1961), read with sub-section (1) of section 2 and section 3 of the Kerala Public Services Act, 1968 (19 of 1968), is hereby published as required by sub-section (1) of section 345 of the Kerala Municipalities Act, 1960.

Notice is hereby given that the said draft will be taken up for consideration on or after 24-9-1982. Any objection or suggestion that may be received from any person in respect of the said draft on or before the date specified above will be considered by the Government. Objections and suggestions shall be addressed to the Special Secretary to Government, Local Administration and Social Welfare (D) Department, Secretariat, Trivandrum-695 001.

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RULES

1. *Short title.*—These rules may be called the Kerala Municipal Commissioners (Recruitment and Conditions of Service) Amendment Rules, 1982.

2. *Amendment.*—In the Kerala Municipal Commissioners (Recruitment and Conditions of Service) Rules, 1964, for rule 8, the following rule shall be substituted, namely:—

"8. *Training.*—(1) Every person recruited as Municipal Commissioner III Grade, by the first method of appointment specified in sub-rule (1) of rule 4 shall be on training for a period of three months. During the training he shall be paid the minimum of the scale of pay of the post. But the period of training will not count for probation or for increment.

(2) Every person recruited as Municipal Commissioner, III Grade, by the second and third methods of appointment specified in sub-rule (1) of rule 4, shall be on training for a period of one month. During the period of training he shall be paid pay and allowances at the same rates at which he would have been paid had he continued in the post from which he was recruited. But the period of training will not count for probation or increment in the category of Municipal Commissioners, III Grade:

Provided that a person recruited as Municipal Commissioner, III Grade by the second or third method of appointment specified in sub-rule (1) of rule 4, and who had already worked as Municipal Commissioner, III Grade, for a period of not less than one month, need not undergo the training specified in sub-rules (1) and (2) of this rule.".

By order of the Governor,

M. S. K. Ramaswamy,
Special Secretary to Government.

Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the Notification but is intended to indicate its general purport).

At present appointments to the posts of Municipal Commissioners are made as per the Kerala Municipal Commissioners (Recruitment and Conditions of Service) Rules, 1964. According to rule 8 of these rules persons recruited as Municipal Commissioners,

III Grade, from open market shall be on training for a period of six months and persons from Department of Municipalities, Municipal Common Service and Executive Officers of Department of Panchayats shall be on training for a period of two months. It has been decided that the period of training in the case of direct recruitees from open market can be reduced from six months to three months and that of others from two months to one month. It is also decided that training can be dispensed with when the recruitees have already served as Municipal Commissioners.

The Notfication is intended to achieve the above purpose.

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